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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the U. S. Patent and
Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Patent Application:

1. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (1 page); and
2. U.S. Patent 5,943,791, equivalent of WO 96/41548; and
3. Translation for DE 3840263 A1.

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